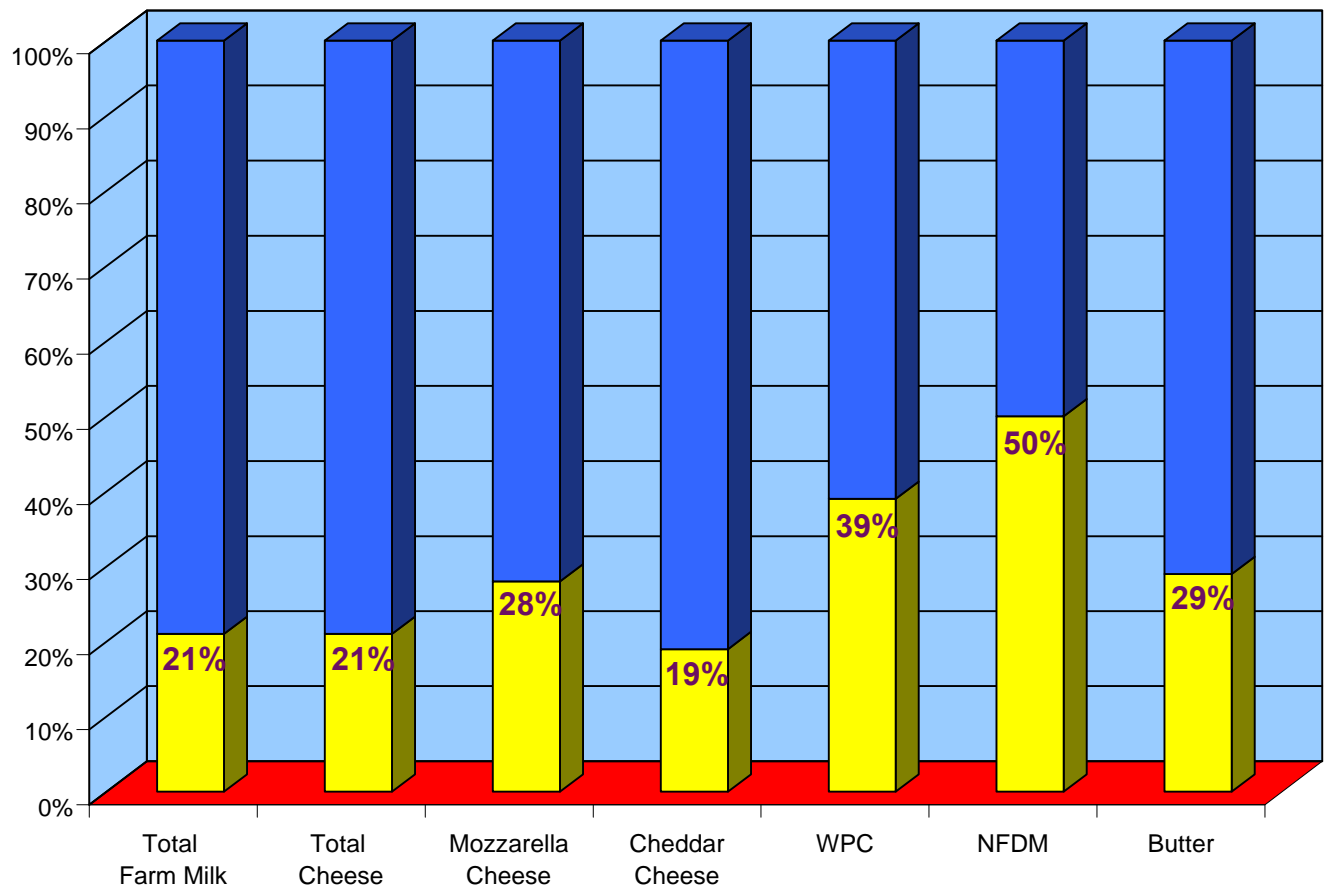


# California

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## Dairy Information

### California Share of U.S. Production Selected Products, 2003



■ California Share of U.S. Production

■ Other States' Share of U.S. Production

- California continues to lead the nation in the production of milk, butter, nonfat dry milk (NFDM), Mozzarella cheese, American cheese, ice cream (hard), and whey protein concentrate (WPC).
- California's 2003 total milk production increased 1.1 percent to 35.4 billion pounds as compared to 2002.
- California continued to capture a major share of total U. S. Production of farm milk (21%), total cheese (21%), Mozzarella cheese (28%), Cheddar cheese (19%), whey protein concentrate (39%), NFDM (50%), and butter (29%).

Sources: Preliminary 2003 data from CDFA Statistics, USDA/NASS



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